

STATUS OF THE CLAIMS:

The claims of the above-identified patent application are as follows:

1. (Original) A method of treating acne comprising topically administering to a mammal in need of treatment therefor an effective amount of a composition comprising (a) a compound selected from the group consisting of synthetic retinoids, natural retinoids, retinol and (b) a non-denatured botanical extract having trypsin-inhibiting activity.
2. (Original) A method according to claim 1 wherein said retinoid is selected from the group consisting of a synthetic retinoid, retinoic acid, esters of retinoic acid and retinol.
3. (Original) A method according to claim 2 wherein said retinoid compound is retinoic acid.
4. (Original) A method according to claim 2 wherein said retinoid compound is retinol.
5. (Original) A method according to claim 1 wherein said non-denatured botanical extract is selected from the group consisting of the botanical families leguminosae, solanaceae, gramineae, cucurbitaceae and a mixture thereof.
6. (Original) A method according to claim 5 wherein said botanical family is leguminosae.
7. (Original) A method according to claim 6 wherein said legume is selected from the group consisting of: non-denatured soybean extract, non-denatured limabean extract, non-denatured blackbean extract and mixtures thereof.
8. (Original) A method according to claim 7 wherein said extract is selected from the group consisting of: fractions of non-denatured soybean extract, non-denatured limabean extract, non-denatured blackbean extract and mixtures thereof.
9. (Original) A method according to claim 8 wherein said extract is selected from the group consisting of non-denatured soybean milk, non-denatured limabean milk, non-denatured blackbean milk, non-denatured soybean extract, non-denatured limabean extract, non-denatured blackbean extract, non-denatured soybean paste, non-denatured limabean paste and non-denatured blackbean paste and mixtures thereof.
10. (Original) A method of treating acne comprising topically administering to a mammal in need of treatment therefor an effective amount of a composition comprising (a) a compound selected from the group consisting of synthetic retinoids, natural retinoids, retinol and (b) a non-denatured soybean extract having trypsin-inhibiting activity.

Claims 11-62 (Canceled)